

妮五十月二十英港香 PRICE \$24 PER MONTH HONGKONG, HULSDAY, DECEMBER 15 15TH, 1887. 四年遭 日一初月一十年三十結光 魏三十四百三千九第 No. 9343. AUCTIONS. INTIMATIONS. AUCTION . . BANKS. INTIMATIONS. SHIPPING. PUBLIC AUCTION. PUBLIC AUCTION. **Significant** THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CHRISTMAS PRESENTS ARRIVALS. CORPORATION, LIMITED. THE Undersigned has received instructions (OWING TO REMOVAL). THE Undersigned has received instructions from Messrs. J. MARINBURE & Co., TENDERS will be received at this Office up till Noon of TUESDAY, the 20th inst., December 13, PENOBSCOT, American bark, to Sell by Public Auction, AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. 1,066, O. G. Eston, Newcastle, N.S.W., 25th THIS DAY, PAID UP£ 500,000. FOR SALE. the 15th December, 188, at Noon, at his October, Coals.—Adamson, Bell & Co. December 14, Kwang-Lee, Chinese str., 1,508, Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON. Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, THE NEWEST MECHANICAL TOYS SUNDRY JEWELLERY and SILVER for the sole privilege of SLAUGHTERING CATTLE within the Colony for 12 months, Wells. Whampon 14th December, Gethe 22nd December, 1887, at 2 P.M., at neral.-C. M. S. N. Co. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN belonging to the Estate of late MRS. MAHOMED No. 17. Queen's Road. commencing on the 1st January, 1888. SUNDRY FURNITURE OF THEIR December 14, CHOW-CROW-FOO, German str., AND THE COLONIES. For further particulars apply at this Office. OWN MAKE, FRENCH DOLLS. By Command. 796, Wendt, Whampon, 14th December, Comprising :--THE BANK receives money on Deposit, GOLD WATCHES, CHAINS, LOCKETS FREDERICK STEWART Consisting of: · General.-MELCHERS & Co. Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues DRAWING ROOM SUITES NECKLACES. BANGLES. Colonial Secretary. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, December 14, FORIEN, British steamer, 509, J. TRECHT, PLAIN and EMBØSSED BROOCHES, EARRINGS & PENDANTS, Hongkong, 14th December, 1887. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business PLUSHES, and in SILK and WOOL, TAPESTRIES, PLUSH TRIMINGS, EASY CHAIRS in PLUSH and in TAPESTRIES, COUCHES, PIANO STOOLS, S. Roach, Tameni 10th December, Amoy AMUSING NOVELTIES. PEARL NECKLACE, AMBER BRACE-LETS, and GOLD COINS. generally on terms to be had on application. both days inclusive. 12th, and Swatow 13th, General.—DougLAS SUNDRY SILVER WARE. Interest allowed on Deposits:---LAPRAIR & Co. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. December 14, Kwongsane, British str., 1,000, 'AMES. TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. PATENT ROCKERS, &c. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. ENDERS will be received at this Office MUSIC STANDS and WHATNOTS in J. M. ARMSTRONG. T. H. Sellar, Shanghai 10th December, Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. Black and Gold, MANTEL GLASS 50 ft. by until Noon of TUESDAY, the 20th inst. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Auctioneer. General,-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. for the privilege of farming the different groups 70 ft. Bevilled. Hongkong, 14th December, 1887: AND A SPLENDED ASSORTMENT OF . [2**423**] December 14, VENETIA, British steamer, 1,609, CONSOLE GLASS with MARBLE of QUARRIES (separately or conjointly) STAND to Match, Black and Gold FRAMED which form the GOVERNMENT QUARRYING PUBLIC AUCTION F. Cole, Bombay 24th November, General. APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL CONSOL GLASS with MARBLE STAND, MONOPOLY, for the year 1888. CHILDREN'S TOYS. BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the -P. & O. S. N. Co. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. MANTEL GLASSES, OCCASIONAL Form of Tender and further particulars may TABLE in Silk Plush, MARBLE TOP be obtained at this Office. BALANCES, of such Claims purchased on December 14, Clara, German steamer, 674, advantageous terms. Christensen, Haiphong 11th December, Ge-Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE FITHE Undersigned has received instructions LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. TABLES, CARD TABLES, WARD-By Command. ROBE with Plate Glass Doors, handsomely FREDERICK STEWART. neral.—Siemssen & Co. to Sell by Public Austion, on SOCIETY. Carved, MARBLE TOP BUREAUS with SATURDAY, E. W. RUTTER, Colonial Secretary. December 14. Amigo, German steamer, 771, C. Hongkong, 30th November, 1887. W. BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED Manager, Hongkong Branch. the 17th December, 1887, at 2 P.M., at the Swinging Glasses. MARBLE TOP WASH-Hongkong, 14th December, 1887. A. Hundewadt, Singapore 6th December, Residence of Captain BLACKBURN, No. 6, STAND with Glass, DAVENPORT with Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. A N EUROPEAN DIVER and FORE-General.—WIELER & Co. Richmond Terrace Glass, and HAT STAND. A MAN of WORKS is OPEN FOR New Children's Picture Books. II ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING December 14, Taichlow, British steamer, 862, THE WHOLE OF THE PATENT RECLINING ENGAGEMENT at end of December. Has had Girl's Own Annual. CANTON & ENGLISH-MADE Joseph Newton, Bangkok 4th December, extensive experience at Harbour and General CORPORATION. CHAIRS. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Boy's Own Annual. Rice and General.—YUEN FAT HONG. Submarine Work. Children's Picture Blocks, in great variety, PAID-UP CAPITAL\$7,500,000 Comprising:—
CRETONNE COVERED DRAWING CATALOGUES will be issued. December 14, Meerco, Chinese steamer, 1,284, Apply to RESERVE FUND 3,900,000 and Puzzles. TERMS OF SALE.—As Customarv. JAMES MILLARKAY. Rubber Dells, Handsomely Dressed Dolls, . Lancaster, Shanghai 11th December, Gone-ROOM SUITE, CHIPPENDALE MIR. J. M. ARMŠTRONG, RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 Kowloon Naval Yard. ROR, LACE CURTAINS, BRUSSELS Talking Dolls. ral.-C. M. S. N. Co. Auctioneer. Ladies' Fancy Bags and Work Cases. Hongkong, 7th December, 1887. COURT OF DIRECTORS :-CARPETS, &c., &c. HONGE)NG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-December 14, Kutsang, British steamer, 1,495, Scent Cases. Tortoise Shell Hair Pins. Very Fine CHROMOS, LITHOGRAPHS, WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq. W. H. Jackson, Shanghai via Amoy 13th PUBLIC AUCTION. Deputy Chairman-Hon. J. BELL-IRVING. Fashionable Back Combs. ENGRAVINGS and ETCHINGS from well-TOTICE is hereby given that the THIRT H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. December, General — JARDINE, MATHESON Champion Tennis Bats. known Paintings. GIHE Undersigned has received instructions S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. Hon. F. D. Sassoon. English-made MAHOGANY EXTENSION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Beamless Tennis Balls. W.H. F. Darby, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. to Sell by Public Auction, on DINING TABLE. CONVERTIBLE of the Company will be held at the Company's Cricket Balls. Boxing Gloves. H. Hoppius, Esq. Chief Manager. WEDNESDAY Offices, No. 36, Queen's Road Central, or CLEARANCES. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases. COUCH, DINNER WAGGONS, CROCKthe 28th December, 1887, at Noon, on Board,-ERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, CUT FRIDAY, the 23rd December, 1887, at Colonial Secretary's Office, AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Prayor and Hymns in Cases. THE BRITISH STEAMER Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. Handsoma Hand-painted Fans. ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENCON. LERY, Fine KEROSINE LAMPS, &c., &c. 14TH DECEMBER. $ext{``ATHOLL}.$ MANAGER: Iron and Brass BEDSTEADS and Spring MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Cheap Fans. 1,436 Tons Gross, 922 Tons Net Register, Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. Letts's and Smith's Diaries and Date Blocks. Don Juan, Spanish str., for Amoy. Hongkong, 12th December, 1887. Mattresses, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. and 170 H.P., with all her TACKLE, Cheap Light Literature in great variety. DRESSING TABLE, CHEVAL GLASS, Zafiro, British str., for Amoy. APPAREL, and APPURTENANCES. RACHTENS beschikking der Neder. of December, 1887, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Playing Cards, Menu Cards, Dance Pro-WARDROBES FENDERS and IBONS, &c. Kwang-lee, Chinese str., for Shanghai. landsche Consulaire Rechtbank voor EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of Four Hongkong-Interest Allowed. as she now lies in this Herbour. SPLIT BAMBOO PENANG MADE gamme Cards. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of TERMS OF SALE .- One-third of the Purchase Hiogo-Osaka van 18 November 1887 wordt Lor of CROWN LAND, at Yaumati, Kau-China, German atr., for Saigon. Some very fine recent Engravings, framed. per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. Money to be paid on fall of hammer, and the hiermede opgeroepen, HENRI JOHAN HUBENET, lung, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term The finest selected Christmas Cards in the Glenshiel, British str., for Singapore. Remainder on completion of transfer; the On Fixed Deposits:lastst gedomicilieerd to Hiogo doch nustwezend, of 75 years. Enrique, Spanish brig, for Manila: ONE WALNUT COTTAGE PIANO, by last and cheapest. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. Steamer to be at Purchaser's risk from time of New Dance Music, New Songs. om te verschijnen voor bovengenoemde Recht-For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. STRAU68. DEPARTURES. The Popular Song, Two Lovely Black Eyes. bank op den 24sten February 1288. Noderlandsche Consulaire Rechtbank, For 12 months 5 per Cont. per Annum. December 14, NAMOA, British str., for Swatow. A STRAM LAUNCH will leave Pedder's Wharf ONE ENGLISH COOKING RANGE, The Popular Waltz. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. at 11.30 a.m., on day of Sale. December 14. MENELAUS, British steamer, for WALTER W. BREWER, CHS. BRAESS. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and For further Particulars, apply to UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL. CATALOGUES will be issued previous to the Voorzitter. every description of Banking and Exchange Messrs. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hiogo, 24sten November, 1887. Sale, and the above will be on View on FRI December 14, Trivos, German str., for Bang-TELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, business transacted. or to the undersigned. DAY NEXT. DEARTS granted on London and the chief G. R. LAMMERT, TOSEPH GILLOTT'S HAVE JUST RECEIVED TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, SMALL PARCEL OF STEEL PRNS. Auctioneer. December 14, ALWINE, Ger. str., for Hoihow. G. R. LAMMERT. WATER COLOUR PANELS, America, China and Japan. Hongkong, 5th December, 1887. December 14, CAMELOT, Brit. str., for Singapore. Austioneer. GOLD MEDAL, AFTER PAINTING BY T. JACKSON. December 14, TRIUMPH, Ger. str., for Tourane. Hougkong, 12th December, 1887. ROYAL ACADEMICIANS & OTHER PARIS. 1878. Chief Manager. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB December 14, PHEA CHOM KLAO, British str., Hongkong, 20th September, 1887. ' ' Sold by all DISTINGUISHED ARTISTS. IMPORTANT AUCTION NOTICE. RACE MEETING, 1888. Disinherited, Liaslett J. Potts, R.A. Stationers and Dealers. for Bangkok. NOTICE. Scandal, Eugene de Blaas. December 14, GULF OF ADEN, British str., for 2,000 LOTS OF WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, & FRIDAY, | THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON Flirtation, Eugene de Blass. DULES OF THE HONGKONG the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th February. WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, JAPANESE CURIOS Australia. Sunless Days, G. H. Boughton. SAVINGS BANK. LIMITED. December 14, Kwongsang, British steamer, for Forget-me-Nots, G. H. Boughton. HONGKONG DERBY. OTICE is hereby given that all VESSELS Wedded, Sir Frederick Leighton, R.A. 1.-The business of the above Bank will be W bampoa. WORK OF ART. THE HONGKONG DERBY, a Sweepconducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Violets, Sweet Violets, Edward Taylor. December 14, GLENSHIEL, British steamer, for DISCHARGING BOMBAY COTTON, BUS stakes of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared suitable for Secrets, Eugene de Blaas. Banking Corporation, on their premises in COTTON YARN at the Kowloon Wharves wil on or before the date of closing entries, with London. CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS. SPORTING SUBJECTS, Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 have FREE STORAGE for 14 days from arrival \$100 added for 1st Pony and \$50 for 2nd. December 14, Bylgia, German bk., for Labuan For all China Ponies bond fide Griffins at date after which a Rent of 3 cents per Bale per By S. E. WALLEB. to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. WILL BE SOLD 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at WITHOUT RESERVE and knocked down of Entry (SATURDAY, the 21st January, In Peril. The Empty Saddle. month will be Charged. PASSENGERS. Twixt Love or Duty. Day of Reckoning. one time will not be received. No depositor to the HIGHEST BIDDER 1888), First Pony 70 per cent., 2nd Pony 20 per ARRIVED. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. The Ruling Passion. Secretary. Per Fokien, str., from Tamsui, &c .-- Mr. W cent, and 3rd Pony 10 per cent. Weight 10st. AND THE FOLLOWING VERY HIGH CLASS 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having Hongkong, 8th November, 1887. FINE Undersigned has received instructions 101bs. Distance, One Mile and a Half. Christy, and 33 Chinese. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option Engravings: Per Kwongsang, str., from Shanghai.—Misa Nominations close on SATURDAY, the 17th MONEY. Mon Ancieu Regiment, E. Detaille. transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-McCland, and I Chinese. December, 1887, addressed to the CLERK OF hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for MEBSES. KUH'N & Co., "1814." Messionnier. TYO BE LENT, on FIRST MORTGAGE Per Venetia, str., from Bombay -236 Chinese. THE COURSE, at the Hongkong Club. The Vintage Festival, Alma Tadema, R.A. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. (ON ACCOUNT OF LIMITED SPACE AT THEIR of Property in the City of Victoria, the Per Amigo, str., from Singapore. 460 Chi-By Order, Her First Dance, W. Q. Orchardson, R.A. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per H. J. H. TRIPP, annum will be allowed to Depositors on their FINE ART GALLERY, sum of Chorister Boys, Mrs. Auderson. Per Clara, str., from Haiphong.-13 Chinese. Clark of the Course. Foundling Girls, Mrs. Anderson. daily balances. Opposite the HONGKONG-HOTEL). For further Particulars apply by letter to Per Taichiow, str., from Bangkok.-61 Chinese. Hongkong, 5th December, 1887. SERIES OF SPORTING PICTURES, 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis Per Meefoo, str., from Shanghai.-Mrs. A with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with By THOMAS BLINKS. TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM Office of this Paper. Crawford, Dr. McGowan, and 10 Chinese. "FOUND."-"GONE."-"CHECK,"each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Hongkong, 19th August, 1887. THE FINISH. not make any entries themselves in their Pass-NAVIGATION COMPANY. TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, & REPORTS. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG. Books, but should send them to be written up The German steamer Amigo, from Singapore NOTICE. THURSDAY, at least twice a year, about the beginning of 6th December, reports had strong N.E. winds NOTICE TO PASSENGERS. January and beginning of July. the 20th, 21st, and 22nd December, 1887. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK with hard squalls, and very high sea. 6.-Correspondence as to the business of the Commencing each day at 2 P.M., at his Sales COMPANY, LIMITED. FRENCH DRESS-MAKER. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank The British steamer Ewongsang, from Shang-Rooms, Duddell Street. TOASSENGERS can at the present time BUSINESS is forwarded free by the various SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their bai 10th December, reports experienced strong A GREAT VARIETY OF British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. N.E. winds and fine weather from port to port. of the year engage Berths through 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, JAPANESE CURIOS HEYMANS arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's The British steamer Vinetia, from Bombay but the personal attendance of the Depositor or in all its branches, comprising:-Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs i EUROPE VIA BOMBAY WITHOUT CHANGE 24th November, reports had strong N.E. mon-35, WELLINGTON STREET, his duly appointed Agent, and the production of sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya BROUADED and EMBROIDERED soons since leaving Singapore, fair weather prehis Pass-Book are necessary. Central, will receive prompt attention. SILKS, IVORIES, LACQUER, BRONZES, CLOISONNE, SATSUMA and other POR-HONGKONG. OF STEAMER OF INCREASE OF FARE. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-In the event of complaints being found ING CORPORATION, necessary, communication with the Undersigned The British steamer Taichiow, from Bangkok CELAINS, COMPLETE SUITS of E. L. WOODIN, T. JACKSON. is requested, when immediate steps will be taken 4th December, reports had moderate winds and ARMOUR, SWORDS, HARLKIRI DAG-Chief Man. er. to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. fine weather to Pulo Obi; thence to port strong GERS, PHOTO ALBUMS, CABINETS, Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. Superintendent. D. GILLIES. monsoon with high sea and dull, cloudy weather. TABLES, CABINET ORNAMENTS. THE ONLY FRENCH DRESS-MAKER Secretary. Hongkong, 5th. December, 1887. BRONZE JEWELRY in great Variety, KAKIMONOS, SCREENS, SILK JAC-The Chinese steamer Meefoo, from Shaughai NOW READY. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. OMINION ORGAN & PIANO Co 11th December, reports had fresh northerly IN HONGKONG. KETS, DRESSING GOWNS and QUILTS, TINHE KUNG HO CHIH YU WALTZ, winds and clear weather. Passed a quantity of ADVERTISEMENT wreckage off Chelang Point, and what seemed Manufacturers of Cabinet, Combination, SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to the THE FEIHOO WALTZES to be the after end of a junk either out or broken DIPLOMA IN PARIS IN 1884. Chapel and Pedal GRAND COLLECTION of ANCIENT DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. în two. TEMPLE and other TABLEAUX, many ORGANS. R. C. PASSMORE, LIMITED. of which cannot be replaced, and it will Hongkong, 12th October, 1887. published by The British steamer Fokien, from Tameni and Square and Upright afford a most favourable opportunity to SYDENHAM MOUTRIE. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND 10th December, Amoy 12th, and Swatow 13th, REGATTA HOLIDAYS. PIANOS; Collectors to secure Specimens of the Old THE PLANGFORTE AND MUSIC WAREHOUSE, reports from Tamsni to Amoy had fresh N.E. TAMSUI. Painters of Japan, of which even at present Sole right to use Foley's Automatic PEDIL THE Company's Steamship Shanghai. gale, overcast and hazy weather. From Amoy THE Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED very few duplicates exist out of Japan. COVER, for the whole Continent of EUROPE 12th January, 1887. to Swatow had fresh N.E. gale and dull weather. 1 for the Transaction of Public Business at CATALOGUES will be issued previous to the From Swatow to port fresh N.E. winds and Noon. TO DAY and TO MORROW, the This device absolutely closes the Organ, render-"FOKIEN." NOTIFICATION. Sale, and the Collection will be on View on cloudy weather until 4 a.m. yesterday morning 15th and 16th instant. Captain Roach, will be despatched for the ing it proof against Mice, Insects, Dust, &c. MONDAY, the 19th December. when wind hauled to N.W. and freshened. In FOR THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF T is hereby notified that the undersigned Tamsui strs. Fu-poo and Fee-cheu. In Amoy India, London, and China, bave requested H. B. M.'s Consul at above Ports I O-MORROW, the 16th inst., at BRANCH OFFICES:-TERMS OF BALE.—As customary. DAYLIGHT. G. R. LAMMERT. For Freight or Passage, apply to strs. Dafila, Cheang Hock Kian and Chinese fleet. Iloilo to dispose of the Wreck of the B. S. MANCHESTER, ENGLAND, R. L. SYMES. Auctioneer. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. "KILLARNEY," as she now lies sunk in that London. p. Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 7th December, 1887. General Managera. TOTLER PALMER & FOR THE CHARTEBED BANK OF INDIA, AUSharbour, together with 3 Ship's Boats belonging Hamburg, Germany to her and lying ashore there at a date to be fixed by the Consul, but not earlier than the Hongkong, 14th December, 1887. Established in 1815, TRALIA, AND CHINA. NOTICE. ADELATOE, AUSTRALIA OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, T. H. WHITEHEAD. Sydney, CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, 20th December, 1887. MADRAS, LARORE, KURRACHEE, &c. CONSULATE Shamion Canton at 11 4 m Manager, Hongkong. Are represented in Chins by The purchase of the Wreck to be subject to LIMITED. MELBOURNE. FOR THE HONGEONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CONSULATE, Shamien, Canton, at 11 A.M., Messes. Jardine, Mathebon & Co. the terms and conditions specified by the Consul. CHEIST-CHURCH, NEW ZEALAND. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., T. JACKSON. WEDNESDAY, DOMINION ORGAN & PIANO Co., LIANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by YOKOHAMA. Chief Manager. Agents. the 21st day of December, 1887, by Order of BOWMANVILLE, THE Company's Steamship H. E. REYNELL & Co. in Japan Hongkong, 2nd December, 1887. FOR THE COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, the SURVEYOR, H. M.'s Office of Works, ONTABIO. Subjoined are some of the items consigned by J. ARRANGER, Shanghai the LEASE of Lot No. 65, of TO ELIANCE MARINE INSURANCE Canada. these well-known Shippers "SOOCHOW." Acting Agent. the British Concession at Shamien, subject Send for catalogues. J. B. Harris, Commander, will be despatched

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 2nd January, 1888, issue Interest Warrants of 35 per Share, payable at the Hongkone & Shanghai Banking Cor-PORATION, the same being at the rate of it per cent. per Annum on the puid up Capital of the Office for the year 1887, and notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 31st instant,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, 15th December, 1887. THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that the AN-NUAL DRAWING OF 50 DEBEN. TURES will be held at the Company's Office, Nanking Road, Shanghai, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st instant, at 11.30 o'clock A.M. By Order of the Directors, W. HAYWARD,

Acting Secretary. Shanghai, 10th December, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY,

the 19th day of December, 1887, at 4 P.M., are published for general information. By Command, FREDERICK STEWART,

Colonial Secretary. Hongkong, 10th December, 1887.

Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 19th day

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TUESDAY. the 20th day of December, 1887, at 3.30 p.m., are published for general information. By Command. FREDERICK STEWART. Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 10th December, 1887.

Particulars of the letting by Public Auction

Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the 20th day $^\circ$ of December, 1887, at 330 P.M., by Order of His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of ONE Lor of (ROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years.

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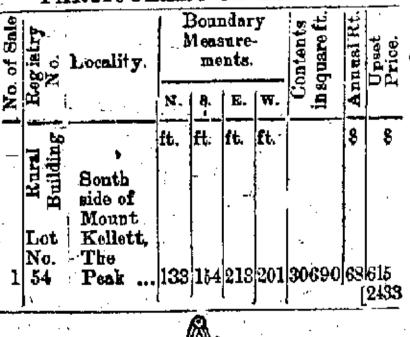
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are published for general information. By Command. FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 10th December, 1887 Particulars of the letting by Public Auction

Sale, to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of December. 1887, at 4 P.M., by Order of HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR of ONE LOT of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of as above TO-MORROW, the 17th instant, Hongkong, for a term of 75 years. PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.



PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG. No. -1165.

N EMERGENCY MEETING of the A above LODGE will be held in FREE. ASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 19th instant, at 8.3 for 9 P.M., precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, 15th December, 1887.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

" DJEMNAH," will leave for SHANGHAI, KOBE AND FRIDAY, the 16th instant. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 14th December, 1887.

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For Heavy Gigs pulled by European Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment approved by the Committee. Time allowed First Prize, \$15; Second, \$5. THIRD RACE -1 P.M

"Mambers' Cup." Presented by Members of Four-Oars. Distance, One-mile-and-a-half Entrance, \$10. FOURTH RACE-1.30 P.M.

"Chairman's Cup." Presented by the Hon. A. P. MACEWEN, Chairman of the VICTORIA RECEEATION CLUB. For Senior Four Oars. Distance, One-mile-and-a-half. Entrance, \$10. FIFTH RACE. - 2 P.M. For Men-of-war's Gigs and Whalers. Distance. One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15

SIXTH RACE.—2.30 P.M. "American Cup." Presented by the American Community. For Senior Four-Oars. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10. SEVENTH RACE. - 3 P.M. Belilios Cup." Presented by E. R. Belilios,

Esq. For Junior Four Oars Distance. One Mile. Entrance, \$10. EIGHTH RACE. -3.30 P.M. Soldiers and Sailors Gig Race. Distance, One

NINTH RACE.-4. P.M. munity. For Pair-Oars. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$5. TENTH RACE.-4.30 P.M. For Men-of-war's Cutters. Distance, One Mile.

per Oar.

Entrance, 31. First Prize, 315; Second, \$5. Time for Oars, 6 seconds per Oar. ELEVENTH RACE .-- 5 P.M. "Garrison Cup." Presented by the Officers of the Garrison. For Four Oars. Distance. One Mile. Entrance Sailing Research

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YACHT RACE. for tonnage. Cup presented by the Hon. C. P. CHATER.

SECOND DAY, FRIDAY, 16TH DECEMBR, 1887. First Race.—12 p.m. Senior Soulls. Cup presented by the Victoria

SECOND RACE.-12.30 P.M. "Jubilee Cup." Presented by the VICTORIA to determine the Convention of 1856 upon RECREATION CLUB. For Junior Four-Oars. which it is based. Thereupon Her Majesty's Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10. THIRD RACE.—I P.M.

For Gigs pulled by European Non-Commissioned | the privileges to the ateamers in question Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in during the currency of the Convention, and Police Force. The Boats to be approved by this Ordinance is accordingly introduced the Committee. Winning Boat Race No. 2 to give effect in Ceylon to that decision." First Day must change two of its Crew before it can be allowed to start. Distance One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15; hon. mambers who had on previous occasions Second, \$5.

FOURTH RACE.—1.30 P.M. International Race. "Challenge Cup." For not now, fairly and properly, be expected to to be won two consecutive years before being finally held. Distance, One Mile. Entrance.

FIFTH RACE.—2 P.M. For Men-of-War's Cuttors Distance, One Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$20 Second, \$10. No time allowed for Oars, point was that the granting of the status of (Winner of Tenth Race, First Day, to be men-of-war to foreign mail steamers gives

Sixth Race.—2.30 p.m. "Nil Desperandum Cup." Presented by E. H. | cluding British steamers, competing with MELEYE, Esq. Open to all Juniors and those of the Seniors who have never won a race in a Regatta. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10 Seventh Race.—S p.m. Ladies' Purse" Presented by the Ladies of secure an unfair advantage, and the status of Hoogkong. For Four-Oars. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10. EIGHTH RACE.-3.30 P.M.

To be Rowed in Gigs, (Open to Naval and Military Officers of all Nationalities) Cup presented by Members of the Hongkong! NINTH RACE -4 P.M. "German Cup." Presented by the German Community. For Senior Four-Oars. Dis. veyance of prisoners on these vessels

tance, One Mile. Entrance. \$10. TENTH PAGE -4.80 P.M. For Men-of-War's Gius and Whalers. Dis-

to be excluded). Eleventh Race.—5 p.n. "The T. J. Cup." Presented by T. JACKSON, Hongkong Chamber have thought worth For Double-soulls. Distance. One Mile. Entrance, \$5.

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Hon. C. P. CHATER. and 3 (Second Day), close on SATURDAY, the 10th December, at 6 P.M., and must be sent in entries allowed for races 5 and 10 (First Day), and 5, 8, and 10 (Second Day). Entries for

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of Tribur Minami, Consul of Japan, of a son.

does not pledge the Chamber to an opinion At 7, Caine Road, on the 14th December, the wife as to what particular steps should be taken. but it is a distinct declaration that the agricultural depression at present preadvocates for protection at the meeting! Honorono, December 15th, 1887. the rehabilitation of silver. The Currency Commission has recently resumed Some months have passed since the Hongits sittings, and a few months more will proor Corps in Garrison, or by European Mam. kong Chamber of Commerce communicated bably see the conclusion of their inquiry. On bers of the Police Force. The Beats to be with the Chambers in other colonies with the report they make will depend most mofor Oars. Four Boats must start for two reference to the question of the status acmentous issues touching the commercial Prizes. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$1. corded to foreign mail steamers. What effect position of Great Britain. With the adoption the representations of the Chamber may bave had on the mercantile communities of dawn: if the present system is to be con-VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. For Junior the various places affected we are unable to tiqued, although trade may increase, it will eay, but it would seem that the Imperial be with slow and halting steps and at no-Government has not yet been induced to thing like the rate that it would if the curmodify its policy. A Bill has been introduced rency of the country were such as would adinto the Ceylon Legislative Council lately by mit of free exchange with the silver using which it is proposed to continue the status peoples of the East without the fluctuations of men-of-war to the French and German in price and less in exchange which take mail steamers. This has hitherto been done place at present. If a native trader places an Second, \$5. Time allowed for Oars, 8 seconds | in Ceylon as in Hougkong by annual Ordinorder with a commission agent for goods to be ances, but the Bill now introduced is similar bought in England to the extent of £100 be to that which evoked so much opposition in cannot tell at what rate it will pay him. Hongkong, the proposal being to concede to re-sell the goods until he finds on the status so long as the Postal Convention taking delivery at what rate of exchange he with English shall be in exist nee. In introbas to pay for them. Necessarily this uncerducing the Bill the Colonisi Secretary extainty must exercise a deterrent influence plained that the operation of the existing Ordinon the making of contracts and serve to dislances was only temporary, the reason of recourage trading enterprise. Whether bi-Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15; Se- stricting it being that it was apprehended that metallism would afford the relief to agriculcond, \$5. Time allowed for Oars, 8 seconds complications and inconvenience might arise ture that some of its advocates seem to exif the privileges which they accorded were "Parsee Cup" Presented by the Parsee Com- granted for longer, or for an indefinite would undoubtedly benefit to some extent period. But he urged that whatever ground from the general prosperity. But agriculthere may have been at one time for such ture in England will never be what it was in W. G. Hale thus refer to the Snigou rice Mr. J. M. da Silva and unanimously carried. apprehension, it now no longer existed. former days. The advent of steam and tele-"Her Majesty's Secretary of State for graphic communication has opened up new Foreign Affairs," he said, "has demanded sources of food supply, which will continue that instructions should be issued to the to compete with the home supply no matter Consular Officers concerned and to the what currency arrangements may be in ex-Agents and commanders of the vessels to istence. The wheat imported into Great Briafford all necessary facilities to the local authorities in relation to Customs regulations and to judicial process, and not to falls off, therefore, the export trade will neclaim to use the privilege to the detriment For Yachts over 10 Tons. Entrance, \$5. Time either of public justice or private rights; Questions as to how mono-metallism may New, 15 per cent. Paddy, may be contracted and he has received an assurance that affect this or that particular industry are instructions to this effect have been issued. really only side issues; the great point in The Council are, I believe, already in posses- favour of bi-metallism is that it would bring grain. Arrivals at present are small, but there sion of these facts, but, perhaps, they may about more stable prices and do away with not be aware that the Secretary of State the uncertainty which attends transactions son of 1888 will open at a considerably lower RECREATION CLUB. For Single Pair bas made a further intimation that, in the in which two standards are involved, an un-Sculling Boats. Entrance, \$5. Distance, event of any practical inconvenience arising certainty that operates as a formidable bar from the privilege, steps will have to be taken to the free exchange of commodities.

Government have determined to continue

point raised in Hongkong, it will be observed,

is entirely ignored by the hon, gentleman,

him or been brought to his notice. That

them an advantage over other steamers, in-

them on the same lines in the carriage of

competition no one can afford to see a rival

the only effect of the status, under the limi-

seems to be that it allows of the con-

without bringing them under British law

The estimate of the Ceylon tea crop for the coming season is 20,000,000 lbs. or over. Kuhlow states that Herr C. Arendt, teacher of Chinese at the Berlin School of Oriental

Languages, has received the title of Professor. The Chi-nan Fu correspondent of the Daily till remain unsettled. opposed the concession whether they might

yesterday for this port. Batoum oil is now being shipped to India probably because it had never occurred to Two cargoes have arrived at Caloutta, one at

Madras, and one at Rangeon. It will probably find its way to the China market shortly to compete with the American oil. of the 8th inst. was seventy-seven. In addition

The Tientsin Shih-pao says that it is proposed March...... "Les Cuirassiers Français" Taxe. then-of-war conferred on foreign mail steamers by 30 per cent., and also to abolish the entire carries with it, it is urged, a certain prestige coolie corps allotted to the latter (i.e., the Hwai which has a material value. Beyond this army), with a view to saving money for application. The Mayflower "Tendresse" Walded the Contract of the Yellow River Fonds of the Yellow River Fo to reduce all the armies except the Viceroy Li's Overture tion to the Yellow River Fund. One hundred Mazurka.... "Ialla Rookh." Fel. David. only of the 1.500 men at Port Arthur are to be CLUB. Distance, One Mile. Time for Ours. ration mentioned by the Secretary of State, retained, and all the rest dismissed with three

that this was brought about chiefly by ladies. agitating. The report of the meeting of the Ceylor Legislative Council to which we have the latter alternative and raid the money

only under protest, the home Government the entire disappearance of the Yellow River, terday, one on the body of a blind Chinese male lieved the Club backs and for some minutes the may be induced to see the matter in the same Shansi goods have enormously advanced in price adult which was found floating in the water on ball scarcely moved half a dozen yards either light, but it is avident there has been no at Chefoo: amongst other things the chin chen, the 13th inst., with regard to which the jury rets'ai (said to be used in adulturating opium) has turned a verdict of "found drowned"; the other change in their policy as yet, for they must advanced from Tls. 37 to 11s. 7.6 the pionl. have had ample time after receiving commu-

nications from Hongkong to countermand that at least Tis. 170,000 have been raised by the received. In this case the verdict returned was-Chinese collectors in different parts in aid of the Ceylon Bill in the form in which it has been sufferers by the overflow of the Yellow River, and that a number of persons are now at work distributing that amount as well as the supplies burglarsattacked a house at Sam-shuipoo, Chinese from the Government.

Public opinion in England appears to be steadily coming round to the bi-metallic view, although, pending the report of the has been all bought up by the Shantung men- As it happened, however, Wong Mun was stay-Currency Commission, less is hearl of the agitation at present than some little time ago. We note, however, that "The Currency Laws and their Bearing on Agriculture quoted were about Tls. 600 the package. formed the principal subject of discussion

at the opening meeting of the winter session We (N. C. Daily News) understand the Hungtre Ho by the measuring post requires only I foot to be level with the sanal bank, and parties resolution proposed was "That the collapse of men are engaged in strengthening the banks and dykes in the vicnity. The water has not risen during the last few days. The Vicero upon our agriculture is largely the result of Tseng proposes to let out the surplus waters in the lake to the sea through the Sui-shih and use to silver money; this chamber, therefore, Chong-tzu river beds; they vill both require digging out, and it is feared many people will urger the Government to join with France turned out of the farms they have been cultivatand the United States, according to their reing for many years along these river channels.

Acheen have not yet taken a satisfactory turn. an opinion that the man who erected the scaffold of the following, which was adopted:- The defeat of the Achibese on the 2nd October should have had more particulars given him as \$7, from the person of Li Ayau. "That this Chamber, being strongly has not cooled their defant spirit. By last ad- to what kind of work was to be carried on. vices, trouble was bearing at Polu Bras, whither convinced that the great depreciation 200 Achinase had crossed over to make an attack of silver acts as a bounty of 25 per on the Dutch establishments there. A buttalion upon the import of corn into the property of the saway not yot known at the date of last advices. In this country from certain other counthe whole of Acheen. Tunku di Tiru's bands tries, calls upon Her Majesty's Government were stirring up unrest, and doing their best to devise a scheme by which this injustice to to raise disturbances.

Says the Shanghai Mercury :- We hear that the native authorities work very actively on the New Graving Dock between Pagoda Island and being blocked up at two places by baskets filled with stones, some wrecks also filled with stones, vailing in England is largely connected and all the "camels" (large square barges, built with mono-metallism. Even the principal on purpose to raise the vessels sunk by the French) all filled with stones. Pile driving, in a somewhat primitive style, has also been comn question recognised the advantages of menced to form solid foundations where they may be required. We believe the New Dook is expected to be capable of docking the largest iron clads in the Chiness Navy.

According to a memorial procured by the Shih-pao, the annual military expenditure of Kansuh, Sungaria, and Kashgaria, exclusive of occasional extras, amounts to Tls. 11,800,000 a year, of which Tls 7,930,000 go to the armies of Liu Kin-t'ang (the Governor) and T'an Chungof bi-metallism a newers of prosperity would lin (the Viceroy), and Tis. 2,280,000 to the army of Ili. Sining takes Tls. 10,000, Ning-his Tls. 100.000, Liang-chon and Chwang-liang Tls. 84,000, and Barkul Tis. 400,000. There are besides armies at Urumtsi, Tarbagatai, &c. In fine (the Board says) the western armies cost act as secretary of the meeting. Mr. Romano one-sixth of the whole public revenue of the empire, and make it impossible to fulful the original promise to abolish lekin, which now brings in over Tls. 10,000,000 a year.

No. 618, S.C., hold on Tuesday evening, Wor. warm reception on his arrival here, and Bro. E. J. Main, J.W., was installed as Right he proposed that such a reception be bany and its neighbourhood as well as in other Worshipful master for the ensuing year. The given Sr. Roza. For that purpose he moved parts of the town far removed from the west installing officer was Very Wor. Bro. S. J. that a committee be appointed by the meeting. end, to which locality alone the public sympathy Gower, Deputy District Grand Master, who The following gentlemen were then appointed: was attended by Grand Lodge Officers. Right -- Mossrs. J. A. dos Remedios (President). L. Wor. Bro. Main afterwards invested the officers | Carvalho, J. M. da Silva, M. d'Aquino, D. Noas follows:-I.P.M., Right, Wor. Bro. J. W. ronha, J. Campos da Roza, A. dos Remedios, F Croker; Nor. S.W., Bro. J. Mitchell; Wor. | Gomes, F. Gorge, F. Machado, H. Hyndman, M. J. W., Bro. J. Stephen; Treasurer, Wor. Bro. ds Roza, Augusto do Rozario, A. ds Silveira, A. M. Falconer: Secretary, Bro. A. R. Madar; F. Alves, M. Gutierres, V. Gutierres, J. M. S.D., Bro. E. Saporjes; J.D., Bro. W. H. V. Figueiredo, J. M. Alves, Dr. Marques, and Henriques; Organist, Bro. H. L. Stringer; Dr. Gomes. It was proposed by Mr. Almeida Director of Ceremonies, Bro. L. Kirchmann that the Committee call upon Sr. Roza on board (absent); Steward, Bro. H. A. Shirazee; I.G., the steamer on his arrival, and invite him Bro. J. J. Spooner; Tyler, Bro. J. Maxwell, to the Club, where an address be presented to After the Lodge was closed the brethren ad. him. This proposition met with no dissentient pect is, we think, doubtful, but the industry journed to a cold pollation in the banquetting but Mr. Romano moved an amendment,—that the weather, the water for the past few days hall, and a number of tousts and songs were given. Sr. Roza be asked to name the hour and place

our last report was not of long duration, and and tion :- That as a manifestation of the satisfacother cargo or two was settled for Europe during | tion generally felt at the conclusion of the Treaty the decline that followed. Round grain not a grand ball be given at the Lusitano Club, to course and reached the low point of \$1.16 per Mr. A. M. R. Pereira seconded, and the resolupicul. During the latter days of last month, tion was carried by acclamation. however, even this quality becoming scarce, tain is paid for ultimately not by gold or silver, prices hardened again, but we do not believe but by British manufactures; if the import they can be maintained for any length of time, there being next to no demand for China or the Philippines, and but a moderate one for cessarily fall off in the same proportion. Singapore, which will soon be satisfied. Round for at \$1.34 for six weeks' delivery for a quantity of 20,000 piculs environ. The weather is very fine and favourable to the new must still be a large quantity remaining from the present crop and it is probable that the seafigure than that just mentioned. Quotations, in gunnies without insurance, are :- 5 per cent. cargo, \$1.28=4s.5½d. per cwt. f. o. b.; 15 per cent. cargo, \$1.19=4s. 2d. per cwt. f. o. b. Total erports to 2nd Dec., 1887, 7,502,600 piculs against 7,546,700 piculs in same period last year.

The annual bazaar in aid of the orphans under the charge of the French Sisters of the Asyle de la Saint Enfance at Wanchai was held yes- to believe that the Chambers, dreading the terday afternoon at the St. Andrew's Hall, City election of Monsieur Ferry, preferred that he Hall. The articles offered for sale were the usual well finished works of the girls of the Cou-Under these circumstances he put it to the News, writing on the 17th ult., says that the vent, and nic-nacs customarily to be found in property and riot difficulties at Yen chow Fu fancy fairs. The attendance although large was not so good as in former years. The stalls were laid out along the sides of the Hall, and were The General Managers (Messrs. Jardine, presided over by the following ladies: - Flowers. Matheson & Co.) inform us that the Indo-China the Misses Cameron , Refreshments, Mrs. Can-Four-Oars Distance, One Mile. This Cup acquiesco in the present Ordinance. The steamer Wingsang, from Calcutta, left Singapore tile; Goods, Mrs. A. Wright and Mrs. Blandy Mrs. Jorge, the Misses Leiria, and the Misses Rozario; Mrs. Huntington, Mrs. Hirst, and Mrs. Wotton; Mrs. Champeaux and Mrs. Forbes: Mrs. Champernowne, Mrs. Possnecker, and Mrs. Bird: Mrs. Gonsalves and the Misses Gonsalves: Mrs. Herrmann and Mrs. Reuter: Mrs. J. Macgregor Forbes, Miss Anderson The N. C. Daily News says the actual number Mrs. James, and Miss Stopani; Mrs. Mack wen of houses completely destroyed at the fire in Hongkew on the night of the 7th and morning cook, and the Misses Hancock; Mrs. Lammert. and Miss Lammert: Mrs. Demoster. The Band to these some were partially burnt. The fire of the Northamptonshire Regiment, under the cargo and passengers. In these days of keen | broke out in a carpenter schop, and the property | direction of Mr. Moran, was in attendance and enlivened the fair with the following programme

of music :-

Truth's Paris correspondent writes:-I have on the ground at Wong-nei-cleong yesterday months pay as gratuity, with the same object in been seeing some miraoulous Court dresses for the Empress of Japan and her ladies, which are afternoon. Play commenced at twenty-five Admiral Sir George Willes, Commander-in- to be sent out next week to Tokyo. They are minutes past four and for some time was of a Chief at Portsmouth, speaking there on the 3rd to be worn at the flower fetes which will come pretty even nature, until the Club with a comwhen they enter a British port. This, Ult., said that a disgraceful state of things had off in 1888. Each flower that gives in spring, bined rush carried the ball up the field, gaining dresses had worked into the ribbons, tabliers, papers, although it was held in October, for them. The last story is that he visited a gradations of rank will be in the quality and assistant, nevertheless the latter said there were dresses, or groups of dresses. There will be a they would allow the present one to pass that he would pay him a visit. On complying representing all ranks, will be gorgeous in ohrythe Yacht Races must be sent to Mr. G. C. without some discussion, especially if they with the request, the man was informed that he santhemums of all colours. These flowers are action to that taken here, and refuse to pass Yellow River Inquisition Fund. The man shole in inliment, and are found of what is in keeping with a magnificent spin took it these guarders

" acoidental death."

territory. A Chinaman named Wong Mun. who has recently returned from California and the game. From this point the Club had de-The Shen pro says that the crop of Manchurian | who is accredited with having madea large sum | cidedly the best of the game; they played in much mountain silk, which was largely purchased by of money there, was supposed by the robbers better form than the "Company." whose play foreign rs last season, is scarce this year, and to be living in the house which they attacked. whilst the southern dealers have held back owing ing in Hongkong with some friends and con- pany" made a determined rush and tooked like to the large stocks of oll silk on hand-cou- sequently the band were unable to find anything scoring, but at the critical point more than once sequently the prices have advanced as high as worth carrying away. The villagers, however, Ils. 670 to Tls. 680 the package; the last prices became aware of the attack, and turned out in force. For a short time a regular battle took place, shots being exchanged on either side, but the burglars had finally to beat a retreat.

The adjourned inquest on the body of the man who fell from a scaffolding at Wanchai was resumed yesterday at the Magistray. Mr. H. F. Hayllar, Government Inspector of Buildings, who was called as a witness, said he did not consider there was any oulpable negligence in the rerection of the sanffold. The man who erected the scaffold was also called and stated that the scaffold was such as was usually erected. The contractor did not tell him that heavy stones would be lift dto the platform of the scaffold. The jury, in According to the Java papers affairs in returning a verdict of accidental death, expressed

Chinese show evident inclination to keep page earrings. She turned round and saw defenwith the times in aducational matters. Of late, dant running down the steps. She chased him children a more or less European education. To rings in Court were hers. gain this end, they engage governeses to teach | John Humby, proprietor of the London Hotel, their daughters. The sons go to the Govern- said about 3 30 p.m. he was in his bar. In conment Schools or take private lesson from Euro- sequence of what his barkeeper told him he went peans who take to teaching as a last resort. To into the Queen's road. He turned into a lane meet this long felt want and give Chinese boys | where he thought the thief would probably try Mamoi. The creek runing round the Island is the purpose at that city has been taken in hand district watchman. Defendant had a piece of under European management. Government cloth in his hand, in which was an earring simischools in Java are for natives and Europeans. lar to that in Court. Into schools for the latter Chinese boys are only admitted as a favour.

A meeting of the Portuguese community was convened yesterday afternoon by the Committee of the Lusitane Club in accord with Mr. A. G. Romano, Consul-General for Portugal, at the Lusitano Club, for the purpose of considering the best mode of giving a reception to H. E. Senhor Thomaz da Roza, Minister Plenipotentiory and Envoy Extraordinary of Portugal to months' imprisonment. the Court of Peking, upon his arrival from the Chinese capital after the conclusion of the Treaty between Portugal and China. The meeting was well attended. The Secretary of the Club having read the notice convening the meeting, Mr. J. A. dos Remedios, Chairman of the Club, requested Mr. Romann to take the Chair. Mr. Romano appointed Mr. J A. d'Almeida, secretary of the Club, to then spoke of the satisfaction that should be felt by all the Portuguese upon the conclusion of the treaty with the Celestial Empire. The success which attended the negotiations for that Treaty was not to a small extent due to Sr. Roza.

most convenient to him for the presentation of In their circular dated the 2nd inst., Massrs | the address. This amendment was seconded by

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

FROM BINGAPOBE PAPERS. THE FRENCH PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

Paris, 2nd December. On the meeting of the National Assembly Monsieur Rouvier produced a profound sensation by announcing that Monsieur Grivy had decided not to send his message to the Chambers reeigning the Presidency.

It was resolved that the Assembly should sit until the message was received. Ultimately Monsieur Grévy intimated that. being desirous of avoiding a rupture with Parliament, the message would be sent. ...

It is understood that Monsieur Grévy was led should retain office.

PARIS, 3rd December. The Chambers meet to-day at Versailles to

elect the new President. A sharp skirmish took place jesterday in the Place de la Concorde. The mol, led by Anarchists, stoned the Mounted Guarls, who charged with drawn sabres, trampling several persons. FURTHER ARRESTS OF IRISH

NATIONALISTS. LONDON, 4th December. Mr. T. D. Sullivan, M.P., has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment. Mr. T. Harrington, M.P., and others have been arrested for publishing reports of the

FOOTBALL,

doings of the National League.

HONGKONG CLUB V. E. COMPANY 58TH REGIMENT. Although the regular programme for the Hongkong Club does not commence till the 22nd instant, a preliminary march sgainst a team from the E. Division of the Regiment was played

tance, One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, it is urged, could be effected by an Ordinance been the result of the abolition of the Contagious summer, and autumn the prevailing flush of "a corner," from which however nothing result-\$15; Second. \$5 Time for Oars, 8 seconds pecially directed to this point without con- Diseases Acts. It was no use to hope to get the per Oar. (Winner of Fifth Race, First Day, ferring a special status on the vessels of and worse and gardens has its day. Instead of Easter, Whitsun Monday, ferring a special status on the vessels of and worse anti-per of the bloom to the Japanese groves and gardens has bloom to the Japanese groves and gardens has its day. Instead of Easter, Whitsun Monday, ferring a special status on the vessels of and worse anti-per of the bloom to the Japanese groves and gardens has its day. Instead of Easter, Whitsun Monday, "Company's" goal. Higginbotham obtained to be excluded). and worse, so that it was frightful to contemplate Michaelmas, &c., the Japs have Lilac-day, May. "Company's" goal, Higginbotham obtained particular lines, and the point is one the what the condition of things would be ten years bloom-day. Rose-day, and the possession of the ball and taking it right down hence. He was ashemed when he remembered culminating festa is Chrysanthemum-day. The the field all but shot a goal, the ball striking and so on the flowers of the day on which they against the cross-bar. Home fairly even The Daily News says that the new District were to be worn. The Empress and the Ladies. play then resulted until Bramwell ran the ball referred appears only in the last received Magistrate at Shanghai is making himself a of-Henour, in point of floral motifs, are to be in into dangerous proximity of the "Comname among the people and correcting abuses the same livery. The differences showing the pany's" goal, but their goal-keeper alfor Tonnage. Cup presented by the V.R.C. The Bill was read a first time unopposed, large pawnbroker's shop incognite and pawned a quantity of the trimming. The laboratom toil ways managed to prevent his coring. Made and the part of the trimming. The laboratom toil ways managed to prevent his coring. Made and the part of the trimming. The laboratom toil ways managed to prevent his coring. coat for 800 cash. Having received the money lettes must be miracles of gorgeousness and also worked hard for the Club and in For Yachts under 10 Tons. Entrance, \$5. and would presumably come on for second he departed, but afterwards returned to redeem beauty, when their wearers are to appear in them spite of the smart play of the "Company's" reading at the following meeting. The the article. The cash he tendered was the same in the throne-room. The chrysanthemums are backs gave the goal-keeper a very uneasy time N.B.—Entrance for races 2 and 8 (First Day), report of the latter has not yet reached that he had received from the pawnbroker's disposed of in separate colours for the several of it. Higginbotham, who was a tower of us, but as it appears that the unofficial some had ones among them, and that every group of yellow, another of white, another of strength to his side, and who was well fed by the in writing to the Hon. Secretary giving name | members had on previous occasions opposed | hundred was two cash short. The magistrate | violet, another of ruby, and another of rose. The | backs, now carried the war into the enemy's of boat, colour, number of cars, &c. Post the annual Bills, it is hardly likely that went away, and having returned to the city, sent rosy ones are to belong to Maide-of-Honour of territory several times. At the call of balfhis card to the master of the shop with a request the lowest grade, and her Imperial Majesty; as time nothing had been scored on either side On the ball being re-started, the "Company," who was cheating people and the magistrate recount- "grown" in Paris workshops. The taste with had now the wind in their favour carried the ball Anderson; Entrance for the Open Sailing bave been placed in possession of the views ed the incident which had occurred to himself. which they are brought into fioriture of rib. well up into the Club's quarters to which part of which they are brought into fioriture of rib. entertained in Hongkong. If the legisla. He then gave the pawaboker the choice of two bous, lace, and hand embroidery is inconceivable. the ground the game was confined for come tures of the various colonies take similar evils, namely, that he should receive a beating Japanese ladies abhor the tailor made style of time. Bramwell then got hold of the hell and

A native Shanghai paper says that owing to Two inquests were held at the Mortnary yes. went into "touch." This run considerably reway. Some loose scrimmaging then took place, on that of a mondicant, Wong Tai, whose grass when Wilkie by a splendid shot scored the first coat caught fire while ha was cooking some food, goal of the day in favour of the Club. This It is gratifying, says the Daily News, to hear and who died on the 14th inst. from injuries | naturally put the "Company." on their mettle. The ball was quickly started and one of the backs shot it to Higginbotham, who with a splendid About 12.15 a.m. yesterday a baid of armed dribble ran it right up the field and shot it clean between the Club's uprights, thus equalising became a little wild. Once or twice the "Comthe chance was lost through a little carelessness on their own part. However, if they did not score themselves they managed to prevent the 'Club" gaining any further points and at the call of time the game stood one goal to each side

> POLICE COURT. 14th December.

BEFORE MR. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES.

EARRING SNATCHING. Chaung Ashan was charged with the theft of two silver earrings with judestone drops, value Complainant said on the 13th inst. about 3.30.

p.m. she was walking up Lascar Row steps. A At Sourabaya (says the Straits Times), the man came up behind her and snatched her wealthy Celestials there have been giving their and saw an European cupture him. The ear-

better chance of securing an education worthy and escape, and saw the defendant, whom he capof the name, the starting of a special school for tured after a struggle, and handed over to the

His Worship sentenced defendant to six months' imprisonment with hard labour, and ordered him to be whipped twice during his imprisonment with ten strokes each time. OPIUM CASE.

Tung Aman, for being in possession of twentytwo teals of prepared opium without a valid certificate and selling the same without a licence was fined \$250, with the alternative of three

CORRESPONDENCE.

do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinious expressed by our Correspondents.

THE FEVER OUTBREAK. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAR Sir.—If it is allowable to add another word on the fever topic which is creating so much sensation just now. I would avail of your columns to correct an impression prevailing in most people's minds that the epidemic is coofined At the regular meeting of St. John's Lodge, Therefore the community should accord him's to the Western district. This is not so. There have been numerous and severe cases in the Al-

> SUFFERER. Hongkong, 14th December, 1887.

is not entirely owing.—Yours, &c.,

VICTORIA REGATTA, 1887.

The Victoria Regatts commences to-day, and from the prospects this thirty-second meeting should prove as great a success as its predecessors. A great deal, of course, depends upon hardly being all that could be desired either for sculling or sailing. The course this year will be in every respect the same as that of last year. market :- The advance in this market advised in Mr. Romano then moved the following resolut The Dock Company's launch the Pilot Fish will, as in previous years, leave Pedder's Wharf for the flagship at noon and a quarter to one, and being longer obtainable, nor even mixed, quota- which not only the members of the Club, but all will convey visitors from thence back again tions again took (for Vinhlong) a downward the Portuguese in the community be invited. after the races are over. During the two days of the Regatta the band of the Northamptonshire Regiment will be in attendance on the

The following is the programme for to-day:---FIRST DAY, 15th December. JUNIOR SCULLE," for single pair sculling boats; entrance, \$5; distance, one mile prize, "Brokers' Cup," three boats to start or no race; open to any one who has never

won a soulling race in China or Japan. A. Turner 9st. Scotis. H. F. Hayllar 11st. 2lbs. Primose. H. Broke 10st. 5lbs.Violet. M. Fredericks 7st. 111bs. Daisy. FOR HEAVY GIGS, pulled by European Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison, or by European Members of the Police Force; the bosts to be approved by the Committee; time allowed for oars; four bats must start for two prizes; distance, one mile; entrance, \$1; first prize, \$15; second. \$5. Royal Artillery's Eastern Pride. Royal Artillery's Lancashire Lad. Royal Pngineer's Engineer.

58th Regiment'sSteelback. MEMBERS' CUP," presented by Members of the Victoria Recreation Club; for Junior four-oars; distance, one-mile-and-a-half; entrance, \$10. "Leek."

Station No. 1 .- White with Blue Cross. Bow, A. E. Hebditch 8st. 121bs. No. 2, C. H. W. Kew 8st. 8lbs. No. 3, F. Robinson 10st. 7lbs. Stroke, H. Skött 11st. 7lbs. Cox., W. Stopani 5st. 13lbs. "Kornblume." Station No. 2.—Blue and White Hoops.

No. 3, J. D. Saunders 12st. 51ba. Stroke, F. H. Shepherd 9st. 9lbs. Cox., W. Wallace 4st. Illbs "Thistle." Station No. 3.-Light-blue and White Stripes. Bow, W. Braidwood 9st. 9lbs. No. 2, E. H. Melbye 10st. 4lbs. No. 3, A. C. More 9st. Slbs. Stroke, J. M. Leing 11st. 5lbs. Cox., G. A. Caldwell 8st. 7lbs.

No. 2, R. T. Wright....... 12st. 01b.

P. MacEwen, Chairman of the Victoria Recreation Club. for Senior four-cars; distance, one-mile-and-a-balf; entrance, \$10. "Kornblume." Station No. 1 .- White, Black Sash. Bow, J. Little...... 11st. Olb. No. 2, J. A. Fredericks 10st. 10lbs.

CHAIRMAN'S CUP," presented by the Hou. A.

No. 3, J. S. Legge 11st. 21bs. Stroke, Major Ellis 12st. Olb. Cox., T. Wallace 7st. 6lbs. " Thistle." Station No. 2 .- White, Dark-blue Border and Cross. Bow, E. B. Shepherd 10st. 11b. No. 2. G. L. Dancan 10st. 81bs.

No. S. R. E. Withers, Jr., 11st. 4lbs. Stroke, J.H. Stewart Lockhart. 12st. Olb. Coz., G. A. Caldwell 8st. 7lb. "Leek." Station No. 3.—Red and White Stripes. Bow. E. Goeta 10st. 51bs. No. 2, F. Lammert 10st. 8lbs. No. 3, G. P. Lammert 11st. 4lbs.

Stroke, G. A. Bramwell 12st. Station No. 4-Yellow and Black. Bow, C. H. Thompson 10st. 3lbs. No. 2, E. Osborne No. 3, R. Thomson 12st. 2lbs. Stroke, H. N. Thompson 13st. 12lbs. Cox., G. C. Hayward 6st, 191ba.

"Rose." Station No. 5 .- Light-blue and White Strippe. Bow, E. W. Rutter 10st. No. 2, R. M. Jameson Ist, Olb. No. 8, H. O. Metcalfe Stroke, E. Friedrichs Set. Siba. Cox., W. Storani Set. 1815e.

" Victoria." Station No. 6 .- Black and Red Stripes. No. 3. II. Skott Ilst. 71bs. FOR MEN-OF-WAR'S WHALERS: distance, one mile; entrance, \$1; first prize, \$15; second, \$5; time allowed for Oars,—8 seconds per H.M.S. Constance Pearl. H.M.S. ConstanceLily. AMERICAN CUP."-Presented by the American Community; for Senior Four-Cars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$10. "Thistle." Station No. 1.—Red and White Stripes. Bow, E. Oaborne...... 9st. 10lbs. No. 2, J. S. Legge11st. 2lbs.

Stroke, R. E. Withers, Jr.llst. 4lbs. Cox., W. Stopani 5st. 13lba Shamreck." Station No. 2.—Yellow and Black. Bow, E. Goetz10st. 5lbs. No. 2, J. A. Fredericks............ 10st. 10lbs. Stroke, H. N. Thompson 13st. 12lbs. Cox., M. Fredericks 7st. 11lbs.

Station No. 3.-White. Bow, A. Turner 9st. 0lb No. 2, C. H. Thompson.......10st. 3lbs. No. 3, G. L. Duncan 10at. 8ibs. Stroke, G. C. C. Master11st. 0lb. Cox., F. W. White...... 8at. 8lbs. BELILIOS CUP." presented by E. R. Belilios. Esq.; for Junior four-oars; distance, one mile: ontranca \$10.

Station No. 1.—Black, Blue, and White Hoops. Bow. A. Duer...... 10st. 4lbs. Stroke, F. H. Shephe d 9st. 9lbs. Cox., G. A. Caldwell 8st. 7lbs.

" Victoria." Station No. 2.-White, Blue Facings, and Blue Cross on left Breast. Bow, F. W. White 8st. 8lbs. No. 2, J. D. Saunders 12st. 5lbs.

No. 3, J. M. Laing 11st. 5lbs. Stroke, C. H. W. Kew 8st. 8lbs Cox., Station No. 3.-No. 2. A. C. More No. 3, A. E. Hebditch 8st. 121bs. Stroke, R. B. Marwood 11st. 4lbs.

Cox., G. C. Hayward....... 6st. 12lbs. "Kornblume." Station No. 4.-Bow. C. E. Coates... No. 3, E. H. Melbyo 10st. 4lbs.

Stroke, W. Braidwood 9st. 91bs. Cor., W. Stopani 5at. 13lbs. SOLDIERS AND SAILORS GIG BACE, distance, one mile; entrance, \$1; first prize, \$15; second, \$5; time allowed for ours, 8 seconds Royal Artillery's Eastern Pride. Royal Engineer's Engineer. Royal Engineer's Hard Lines. 58th Regiment's Steelback. Lanoashire Lad... Royal Artillery's

PARSEE CUP," presented by the Parsee Community; for pair cars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$5. Station No. 1 .-- Light-blue and White. Bow. J. H. Stewart-Lookhart... 12st. 0lb. Stroke, E. Friedrichs 13st. 21bs Cox., W. Stopani 5st. 18lbs. "Kathleen." Station No. 2. - White, Blue-facings, and Blue Cross on left Breast.

Bow, C. H. W. Kew..... 8st. 8lbs. Stroke, H. Broke 10st. 5lbs Cox., T. Wallace 7st. 6lbs. " Eileen." Station No. 3.—Black, Blue, and White Hoops. Bow, A. C. More 9st. 3lba. Stroke, F. H. Shepherd 9st. 9lbs. 4st. 111bs. Cox., W. Wallace

Station No. 4.-Black and Red Stripes. Bow, G. C. C. Master 11st. 01b Stroke, H. F. Hayllar 11st. 21be. Cox. M. Fredericks 7st. 11lbs. FOR MEN-OF-WAR'S CUTTERS, distance, one mile; entrance, \$1; first prize, \$15; second, \$5; time for oars, 6 seconds per oar. H.M.S. Constance GARRISON CUP," presented by the Officers of

the Garrison; for four-oars; distance, one

mile; entrance, \$10.

"Shamrock." Station No. 1.-Yellow and Black. $\mathbf{Bow.} \; \mathbf{G.} \; \mathbf{C.} \; \mathbf{C.} \; \mathbf{Master} \; \dots \dots 11 \mathbf{st.} \quad 0 \mathbf{lb.}$ No. 2, J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, 12st. Olb. Stroke, H. N. Thompson...... 13st. 12lbs. Cox., A. Turner..... 9st. Olb. "Kornblume." Station No. 2.—White, Black Sash.

Bow, J. Little 11st. 01b No. 2. G. A. Bramwell 12st. No. 3, H. O. Metcalfe 14st. 7lb. Stroke, Major Ellis 12st. 01b. Cox., M. Fredericks 7st. 11lbs. "Lock." Station No. 3.—White. Bow. E. B. Shepherd No. 2, F. G. Nielsen 10st, 8lbs. No. 3, H. Skött 11st. 7lbs.

Stroke, A. Denison

Cox., G. Caldwell 8st. 7lbs. Station No. 4.—Black and Red Stripes. Bow, Theo. Lammert 10st. 10lbs. No. 2, L. B. Connor 10st. 11lbs. No. 3, R. E. Withers, Jr. ... 11st. 4lbs. Stroke, H. F. Hayllar 11st. 2lbs. Cox., W. Stopani 5st. 13lbs. SAILING RACE.-FOR MEN-OF-WAR'S BOATS, any rig; entrance, \$2; first prize, \$20; second,

H.M.S. Victor Emanuel's Commodore's Galley. H.M.S. Cockchafer's.....Cutter. Sailing Race.—For Merchant Ships' Boats only; entrance, \$2; first prize, \$20; second. \$10, YACHT RACE.—FOR YACHTS OVER 10 TONS. entrance, \$5; time for tonnage; Cap presented by the Hon. C. P. Chater. Mr. W. H. Forbes' Cutter Naomi. Mr. M. Beart's CutterKathleen. Mr. Potts' & Mr. van Buren's Cutter Ariel.

Our Aquatic Correspondent sends us the following forecast of the two days' racing :-The Junior Sculls, after Saturday's performence, should be a sure thing for Hayllar. In the Mombers' Cup, although the "Thistle" is by no means to be despised, I shall be much surprised if "Kornblume" does not secure the

To make a selection for the Chairman's Cup is by no means an easy task. Little, Fredericks, Legge, and Major Ellis are certainly a somewhat formidable crew and are strongly fancied, but despite this for my own part I think that the winner lies between the "Thistle," stroked by Stewart-Lockhart, and Hayilar's crew, the "Victoria," the "Thistle" porhape having the preference.

In the American Cup the crew of the "This. tle" are eminently a likely lot, but I shall look to see the "Shamrook" pass the winning post a little in advance of them. The Belilios Cup I expect to see fall to the

Leek." The Parsee Cup for pair cars I fancy should be carried off by Hayllar and Master but there is no doubt that Stewart-Lockhart and Freidrichs will run them close.

For the Garrison Cup there should be a very tough struggle. Either the "Shamrock," the Lesk," or the Thistle might be backed with very good reason. The "Thistle" is, however, the favourite and in this case I go with the crowd. For the first race on the second day, the Senior Sculis, despite the very strong claims of Hayllar, I shall give my vote to Shepherd.

The Nil Desperandum Cup should be carried off, bar accidents, by the "Leek." The International Race naturally claims the greatest share of attention. When training commenced it was generally considered that the English erew, though not finally decided upon. would be likely winners, although with the exception of the Santoh team the victory of either by the Stres blome abligable pa b Liebt enthall

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Since then, however, some great changes have of both States shall enjoy full protection of taken place. The Scotch crow has forced person and property"-now it is hardly necessary itself upon attention and is now certainly I have indicated is a subtle and powerful attack well within the running. There was some little upon the property of foreign residents here, and misunderstanding between the men who would in so far would be in direct opposition to the make a good crew for the English heat and a spirit of the Treaty. I do not say that the Chierew was not decided upon until the last minute. and although an undoubtedly strong one it was heavily handicapped in consequence of having attempted to be established shall be so framed as little, if any, practice together. I therefore felt to permit of Bonding in the terms of the resoluinclined to back the American boat. 'At the last moment I understand the English crew has been again changed, and as it now stands I most unbesitatingly delare in its favour. The English erew now is :- Master, bow, Hayllar No. 2, Metcalfe, No. 3., El is stroke.

The Ladies' Purse will I funcy be carried off by Hayllar's crew in the "Thistle." In the German Cup I again plump for the "Thistle" stroked by Lockhart, but with "Kornblume" and "Shamrock" so strongly manned as after the judge's boat is passed.

The T. J. Cup should be a very "noft thing for Hayllar and Shepherd. With regard to the Gig races and Yachts, as I have had no opportunity of observing them I am unable to even hint at any results.

THE BONDED WAREHOUSE QUES TION IN SHANGHAI.

MEETING OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. A special general meeting of the members of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce was held supposed they could not supply anything like on the 9th inst. for the purpose of considering sufficient storage for all the imports of Shang"the question of the establishment of Bonded hai. The Chairman stated that twelve were-Warehouses," Mr. E. H. Lavers presiding. The CHAIRMAN in opening the proceedings any further information, for this rumber said :-- Gentlemen, this meeting has been called would not be sufficient. It seemed to him in consequence of the attention of the Committee | that the resolution could be made stronger than having been drawn to the fact that arrangements it was, by this fact being pointed out. Anyhave been made for the Bonding of (I believe) twelve Sodowns belonging to the China Merchants Stram Navigation Company, and as far accommodation was insufficient, was distinctly as I can learn the scheme will come into operation about the beginning of next year. With to place their goods in Bond. And as Mr. Mao. On CALCUTTA. a view to ascertaining reliable information as gregor had stated the treaty stipulated that the to this, and the regulations, etc., connected with nationals of both countries should received equal the working of the Bonded Godowns, the savantages. But those who happened to come Secretary of the Chamber addressed the Commissioner of the I. M. Customs on the 19th if they wished to avail themselves of the priultimo, as follows :-

SHANGHAL GENERAL CHAMPER OF COMMERCE. Shanghai, 19th November, 1837. Sig. - Seeing an announcement in the Mercury that | room to accommodate everyone, which would Mr. Morse, who has lately arrived from Tientsin, has prevent them from participating if they liked, heen charged by the Inspector General of Customs with the organisation of Bonded Warehouses in this Settlement: I am desired by the Committee to request you to be good enough to inform them as to the Warehouses it is proposed to bond, and to furnish them | was a great deal in what 'Ir. Campbell said, but with a copy of the regulations in connection there- it was a matter of detail as to what extent the with, as well as with the date upon which it is con- Bonded Warehouses would be carried out. templated to begin operations,—I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant. . GEORGE R. CORNER, Secretary.

To H. E. Hobsen, Esq., Commissioner, H.I.M. Cus. would go. tome, Shanghai. And on the 2:st, Mr. Hobsen replied:-

Custom House, Shanghai, 21st November, 1887. Sim,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your com-munication of the 19th instant regarding Bonded Warehouses and in which you request me :let.—To inform your Committee as to the Ware houses it is proposed to bond.

2nd.—To furnish them with a copy of the regula. tions in connection therewith, and 3rd .- To communicate the date on which it is pro posed to begin bonding. vet been arrived at regarding any one of these three

In reply I beg to inform you that no settlement has points; and, as to the regulations, I am not yet authorised by the Inspector General of Customs to fur vate" in the terms of the resolution would pre- Hongkong, Canton, and Macad Steamboat Co.'s nish them to any one. They will, however, be sup- vent misunderstanding. plied to your Chamber in due course.-I have the honour to be, Sir, your o' edient servant, H. ELGAR HOBBON. Commissioner of Customs.

To Goo. R. Corner, Esq., Secretary, Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce. regret that Mr. Hobson was not in a posi. Mr. Hertz did not vote. tion to give the Chamber the information asked. for. Now, gentlemen it appears to the Committee that the time has arrived for the Chambor to take action in the direction of making the Bonding system at this port a general one, and lings of this meeting to the Diplomatic Body to protect against anything like a monopoly. It is most important that the Chamber should discuss the subject, and it is for that reason we unanimously carried. have met to-day—and no unnecessary delay should be incurred in addressing the Diplomatic Body at Poking with reference thereto. (Hear, hear). Several members of the Committee will. I think, give their views as to what measures they deem best to be taken, and I trust you also will

give your opinions. Mr. J. MACGREGOR said-Gentlemen, as this metal in that colony having been ascerthe Chairman has said, this matter has received tained beyond doubt. the sarnest consideration of your Committee. The Committee is prepared to welcome this evi- Mdme. Colombier has put on record an ordel- Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Lidence upon the part of the Imperial Chinese lent mot of Mdme. Bernhardt's. The great Government of a step pointing to the fulfilment French actress was asked by a Yankee inter- Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., of the clause in the Treaty negotiated with the viewer whether she would be disposed to go on a German Government in 1830, and in this feeling tournée with the Italian "star" Salviui, to the members will doubtless join. We regard, which stip laughingly replied that "that would is however, with great appreheusion and dissatis- be a tour de Babel." faction the method in which it is proposed to give offset to this. As at present advised, the Committee has reason to believe that it is contem- reported from Paris is a successful attempt to plated, if not absolutely determined to confine steal poultry by a new process. Three boys bonding exclusively to Warehouses the property were lately detected angling with a fishing rod of or in the occupation of the China Merchants, over a backward. The witness of their oper-S. N. Co. Such a step would in our opinion be ations waited until a bite had been obtained, and a direct interference with vested interests as well a fat ben drawn up with a fish-book in her as with trade generally. These interests are in throat, when he went and told the police. some cases more or less of an individual charac. The ingenuity of the gamins has not availed · vr, in others of a corporate nature. Of the to save them from a fortnight's imprisonment. Litter class the Wharves and Wurehouses essablished and carried on for public business may structures is confined to no one nationality, they will be remembered. Admiral Jauréguiberry died have been built and extended to meet the and to give a discriminating preference to the property of the China Merchants? S. N. Co. either in its own name or in that of the Government or an individual would be a conspicuous attack upon the position hitherto_enjoyed by foreigners at this port. (Applause). If bonding is to be established here, trade in its entirety should have the option of participat. fellows of the Royal Society deceased since last ing in it, and any attempt to limit its operation November, no fewer than six were above eighty would constitute a vexatious interference with years of age, and four more above seventy, while

the normal course of trade. You will observe the rest, with one exception—that of the late from the statement which has just been made to Dr. Wilson Fox, who died at the age of fifty-six von by the Chairman that the Committee endeavoured to elicit information from the recog. Richard Quain both died at the advanced age of nised quarter as to the arrangements which were eighty seven. Sir Walter Elliot was eighty-five, in progress, and which when completed might be and Dr. Hymers and Sir Joseph Whitworth carried into immediate execution, but none has were each eighty-four. The average of the STATION. been accorded, although it is matter of common whole fourteen was seventy-five. report, if not of actual knowledge, that certain! godowns of the C.M.S.N. Co. bave been selected and are being prepared for bonding purposes, and ces," talls a good story. Seeing a print of one to them only is it contemplated to grant the priof his own pictures in a small shop, he went in to Amor Amor vilege. We know that a Deputy Commissioner inquire its price. The woman told him that it Hongkoux. has recently arrived from the north specially ap- had been painted by a Mr. Frith, adding the inpointed to organise and carry out the details of formation that the artist had taken to drink, and Manie 19.04 80 20.01 83 83 83 1 the business. Under those circumstances it is not was now dead. On Frith venturing to dispute

"That in the opinion of this Chamber any he was not himself. scheme for the establishment of Bonded Warehouses which does not permit the Bonding of all Wharves and Warehouses or such of them as are prepared to accept the conditions and regulations as may be required by the Imperial authorities is against public policy and constitutes an interference with trade and vested interests." That I think fairly and clearly covers the ground, and I trust that the authorities con- 7th December :- For Havre-957 packages cerned when they learn the view of this matting, 100 cases caseia, 26 cases chinaware, 25 representative Commercial Body will refrain cases merchandise, 11 packages rattancore, 5 from endeavouring to establish an exclusive cases China ink, 4 cases cantharides, 4 cases monopoly. The circumstances of this important blackwood ware, and I case silks. For Havre port are exceptional. From the mud flat which option Hambury-350 packages merchandise. greeted the first settlers in 1843 has been created For Havre option Hamburg and London-328 this great city without the gates, with its miles | packages canes. For Hamburg -320 bales feaof wharves and acres of godowns built almost thers, 100 cases preserves, 86 cases essential oil, entirely by foreign enterprise and capital; and 55 packages canes, 34 packages merchandise, 25 to attempt to give through the concession of bales tobacco leaf, 17 bags beans, 11 cases tea, 10 Bonding an exclusive monopoly or privilege to cases human hair, 10 cases bristles, and 8 cases any one Company or nationality, would be a curios. For Hamburg option London-13 packflagrant attack upon the trade, property, and ages merchandise. For London-35 cases essenvested interests of all concerned in the part, tial oil. For New York-5 cases merchandise. The privilege of Bonding, esteemed a concession in the Treaty, if only granted in the exclusive method proposed it is anything but a instead of bread, for under the concession as ap-upon property and a permisious interference here under the rogis of foreign enterprise

Busslan Treaty stipulates that "The ambjects Bapares (New) 4771 is

to restate that any evolusive Bonding such as ness authorities intended or contemplated this, but the fact is unaltered, and I venture to express the lione that any scheme before it is

Mr. Wood, in seconding the resolution, said that after the remarks which had fallen from the proposer of the resolution, there was very little that could be added. He might mention that in 1875 and 1876 the Chamber took some active steps in connection with this question of Bonded Warehouses, and had an interview with Sir Harry Parkes and the Inspector-General of Customs on the subject. it was then the very clear intention that the right of bonding would be extended to all wharves and golowns, whether public or privata. There was no doubt that they had wharf they are it seems scarcely safe to prophesy until and storage accommodation in Shanghai equal after the judge's boat is passed. of a particular section would be a mischievous interference with trade and would defeat the object the Imperial government had in mind. But as yet they had no authoritative declaration, or expression on the subject, and it was to be hoped that the expression of opinion of the meeting to-day would have the effect of making the bonding system general. (Applause.) The CHAIRMAN said that before putting the resolution he would be very happy to hear any remarks the members might have to make on

the subject. Mr. R. M. CAMPBELL said he would like to ask what accommodation could be afforded by the godowns it was proposed to bond. He bouses were to be bonded, could be give body who wished to avail himself of these Bonded Warehouses, and could not do so, because the placed at a disadvantage to others who were able first would have advantages over the others, who, vilege, could not do so because there would not be room, and he thought that the very important question that there would not be sufficient might be mentioned in the resolution, and would make it stronger. The CHAIRMAN said he thought that there

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Mr. Howie asked, did he understand Mr. Macregor to mean that if the China Merchants supplied sufficient storage for the outile imports, there was no objection? He thought that was not the point. Mr. MACGREGOR intimated to the contrary. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares - \$7

Mr. HowiE-And you would not be content if the China Merchanta gave sufficient accommodation for storage P Mr. MACGREGOR said he would read the resolution again, and he having done so, Mr. Howie did not pursue the subject

Mr. HASKELL thought that the insertion of the words "all wharves whether public orpr Mr. Macgnegor said that the word "all" in the resolution covered all wharves and warehouses The CHAIRMAN then put the resolution as proposed by Mr. Macgregor and seconded by

Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—\$48 per Mr. Wood, and it was carried unanimously. Mr. CECIL HOLLIDAY—As a necessary rider the resolution which we have just carried, I bog to propose the following motion-"That the Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$195 per Committee be requested to report the proceedand ask them to take action thereon."

Mr. How seconded, and the resolution was This cone uded the meeting.—Daily News.

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Frith, in his recently-published "Reminiscenpremature for this body to take action, of a get these statements, the good dame assured him neral character, and in general terms it must be suther tatively that she knew what she was sayin the absence of any information from the ing, for her husband had attended the funeral. Customs authorities. The resolution which I Frith did not argue the matter further; perhaps propose to submit for your adoption is as fol- fearing that the woman-s true type of the | well-informed-would attempt to prove that |

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Hongkong Observatory, 14th December, 1887

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Flenghong Observatory, 14th December, 1897

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> tined to points beyond San Francisco in the application. United States should be sent to the Company's Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan San Francisco. or Passage, apply to the Arency of the Com- allowance does not apply to through fares from pany. No. 50A, Queen's Read Central. China and Japan to Europe.

> > STEAM FOR. PENANG, COLOMBO, SINGAPO ADEN, S. W. PORT SAID, MALTA, MARSEILLES GIBRALTAR, BRINDIS ANCONA, VENICE, TRIESTE, PLY-

Captain Thomson, will be despatched as above AUSTRALIA. BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

A NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship Ports, and will have quick despatch. "RAYENNA," Captain A. B. Daniell, with For Freight, apply to Captain Butler, will be despatched as above Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via ROMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on TUESDAY, the 20th December, at Four P.M. Cargo will be received on board until

until Noon, on the day of sailing. the ordinary direct route via Colombo. and Passage apply to the Peninsular & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

quired to be declared prior to shipment Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. HE British Steamship "PARTHIA."

will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., YIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, on FRIDAY, the 23rd December, at THREE P.M. To be followed by S. S. "ABYSSINIA," on 27th January, 1888, and S. S. "BATAVIA. on 28th February, 1888. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular

lines of Steamers. To Victoria and Ban Francisco..... 175.00.

"THIBET." will leave for the above places on THURSDAY, the 22nd instant, at DAYLIGHT. E.L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 9th December, 1887. UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Agents.

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THE Steamship "GUY MANNERING." Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 22nd instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hougkong, 10th December, 1887. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA | day previous to "afling. (Florio & Rubattino United Companies).

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND BOMBAY. having connexion with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, BUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA. NAPLES. (LEGHORN), and GENOA; also to MARSEILLES, THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship all' Mediterbanean, Adriatic, Levan- | 1 TIME, and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through will leave for the above place about 24 hours and BAGDAD.

THE Company's Steamship "BORMIDA, Captain Dagnino, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th December. At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Prince's Docks. For Further Particulars regarding Freight Captain O'Brien, will load here for the above and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

HE Steamship "GAELIC" will be

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of Steamers. of the Army. Navy, Civil Service, and the

does not apply to through fares from China and as above TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at | Four P.M. Japan to Europe.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 3rd December, 1887.

MOUTH, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

10 A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office Tea, Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo, General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by For further particulars regarding FREIGHT Office. Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are re-

Spperintendent Hongkong, 10th November, 1887.

CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE.

TARING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

3,167 Tons Register, Arnold, Commander,

Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Through Passage Tickets granted to Engand, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic First-class Fares granted as follows:-To Vancouver Mexican \$160.00.

To all Common Points in Canada ? and the United States } To London...... 305.00. To other European Points at proportionate 11 rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be Moderate Terms. obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van-Freight will be received on Board till 4 P.M.

on the 22nd December. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 r.m. the For information as to Passage or Freight, ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 26th November, 1887.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

rates to MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF after her arrival with the next English Mail. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 10th December, 1887.

> FIHE 3/3 A. I. I. American Bark "ALDEN BESSE." Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG, AND BALTIC PORTS:

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STRAMEUS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. I.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH

PLACES IN RUSSIA. N MONDAY, the 26th day of December, 1887, at Four P.M., the Company's Steamship "BAYERN," Captain R. Sander, 26th November, and is due here on the 25th with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and December. CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING

AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 24th Dec., 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 28th November, 1887.

U. S. MAIL LINE. YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THURSDAY, the 29th December, at THERE more trouble in the end All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan Through Bills of Lading issued for trans. on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, &c., nor at any private house (even though

to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities, named in the address) when there is a place of of the United States, via Overland Railways, to | business nearer, at which delivery can be offected Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To San Francisco \$200.00 To San Francisco and return, 350.00 available for 6 months...... To London To other European points at proportionate

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des. Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed For further information as to Freight a discount of 10% from Return Fare. This 15th inst. at 3.30 P.M.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. [4] the day previous to sailing, Parcel Puckages will be received at the Office antil 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to | Gaelic, on Tuesday, the 20th inst. at 2.30 P.M. address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo Thibet, on Wednesday, the 21st inst. at 5.00 p.m. destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,

No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN Agent. Hongkong, 12th December, 1887. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. THE AA I, British Bark

"BLACKADDER," THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM C. E. Hore, Master, will load here for the above ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1887.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 100 A. I. British Bark "BANDANIERA." Ahrens, Master, will load for the above Port,

and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 22nd October 1887. FOR NEW YORK.

HE 3/3 L II British Ship "JOHN M. BLAIKIE," Captain Faulkner, will lead for the above Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to Hongkorg, 7th November, 1887. FOR NEW YORK, THE 3/3.L II American Ship

"REMBRANDT," Paine, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 10th December, 1887. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L 11 Norwegian bark

Jas. Sorensen, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have a quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 10th December, 1887.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. THE AI French Barque "MARIANNE," E. Vialla, Master, will load here for the above

Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 14th December, 1887.

FONG, PHOTOGRAPHER Has just added to his COLLECTION of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable in his Studio or at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH's. IVORY MINIATURES of Superior Quality and of Excellent and High Finish. PERMANENT ENLARGEMENTS of Photos, and Views and reproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, or

TRAITS are taken in any state of the weather. | closes, except the night box, which is always and all Permanent Processes, are executed on STUDIO-ICE HOUSE LANE. 12 PHOTOGRAPHY.

UYENO, JAPANESE PHOTOGRAPHER, well known in Nagasaki, will Open a TOP OF ICE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hougkong, 25th November, 1887. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and

PORTER.

DAVID CORSAR & SONS' Merchant Navy Navy Boiled Long Flax Crown ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hougkong, 11th May, 1867.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS. Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any

DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews 1 of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Herbour:-AIRLIE, Brit. bk., Knight.—Master. ATHOLL, Brit, etr., Coulter.-Order.

BANDANEIRA, Brit. ship, Ahrens.—Russell & Bylgia, Ger. bk., Welp.—Wieler & Co. BEA SWALLOW, Brit, bk., Maker, -- Chinese.

MAILS PYPECTED.

- y-THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Saffel, with the English mail of the 11th ultime left Singapore at 5.30 p.m. on the 9th, and may be xpected here on or

about the 15th instant. THE AMERICAN MAILS. The P. M. steamer City of New York, with PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA the American mail of the 19th ultimo, lef Yokohama on the 13th, and is due here on the 19th instant.

The O. & O. steamer Belgic, with the Ameri-On 29th inst., at 3 r.m. GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN can mail of the 29th ultimo, left San Francisco on that date, and may be expected here on or about the 28th instant. THE INDIAN MAIL.

The Indo-China steamer Wingsang, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the morning BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL of the 4th, and is due here on the 21st instant. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Abyssinia, with the next . Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the

STEAMELS EXPECTED. The Shire Line steamer Denbighshire left

Singapore on the 7th, and is now due. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Singapore on the 10th, and is due here on the 16th instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Prometheus lett Singapore on the afternoon of the 12th, and is due here on the 19th instant.

POST-GENERAL NOTICES.

When Correspondence has been missent of delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to THROUGH TO NEW YORK. VIA OVER- note on the cover, Sent to ----, or Received LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever to the Postmaster General. This should be seted on

LOCAL DELIVERY-No delivery is attempted

The Postal Guide for 1887, ravised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, Through Passage Tickets granted to England, p. 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This To other European points at proportionate France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Amoy and Manila - Per Don Juan, today, the 15th inst., at 1.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Zafire, to-day, the 15th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon -Per Cariebrooke, today, the 15th inst., at 3.30 p.m. For Shanghai.—Per Kwanglee, today For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsui.-Per Fokien, to-day, the 15th inst. at 5.00 P.M. For Haifong.-Per Clara, to-day, the 15th inst., at 5.00 P.M.For Yokohama and San Francisco.—Per

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokobama.-Per For Singapore.—Per Frigga, on Thursday, the 22nd instant, at 9.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Ravenna will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th inst. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brimlisi; to

13 the Straits Settlement . Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Alen, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Buk Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into [2282 | alleged losses of such letters.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The Gorman Contract Packet Bayern will be despatched on MONDAY, the 26th December. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c. The hours observed in closing the Mails, &c. will be the same as in the case of the British Correspondence should be marked Per German

Mail, or with the name of the Packet. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into 2158 alleged losses of such latters.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Melbourne will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 27th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burman, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichéry, Madras. Calcutta, Aden, Manritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes.

Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such latters. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT, THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the Contract Packet :-Day of Departure. Noon .- Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters 3.10 P.M.-Letters may be posted with late fee

of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely .40 P.M.-Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAILS. Day before Departure. INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POR- 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office open out of office hours. 7 A.M. Post Office opens.

10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. 10.30 A.M., Posting of all printed matter and patterps ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. STUDIO, on THURSDAY, the 1st December, 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cepts until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with Law Fee of 10 cents until time of departure. RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per doz. 10 Cents CANVAS. Post Cards, each Papers, per 2 os.

Books, Patterns, and Commercial? | 20 | Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents 10 Cents Registration Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as. though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents.

No responsibility can be accepted by the Post Office for erroneous replies to verbal enquiries, or to notes addressed to subordinate officers. HLACKADDER, Brit. ship, Hore.—Turner & Co. The shroffs told off to sell stamps should expecially not be regarded as able to give correct PEKING, Brit. str., Henermann. - Siemssen & Co. information. The Postal Guide slone is the REMBRANDT, Amr. ship, Paine. - Russell & Co. | standard on all points on which such information may be required.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. BHIPPING IN PORT. FOR SALE. I**nsurance**s SHIPPING IN JAPANISE WATERS. SHIPPING IN HONGKONG HARBOUK. FOR SALE. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIFE INSURANCE. DESTINA. ANH AS. HEIDSIECK'S CAPTAIN. DATE OF eterkt. CONSIGNATE TION. CAPTAIN. TONB, CONSIGNESS. VE SELS. AND RIG. AKKIVAI AND RIG. . 10 . CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WHITE SEAL. THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE ARRIVA NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. \$22..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$23..... per case of 2 dozen pints. PAUL DUBOIS & Co.'s COMPANY'S -NAGASA KI. S. S. "PARTHIA," YEAR DIVIDEND POLICY HONGKONe. In Post on 30th November, 1987. FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA. CLARET, GRAND VIN LEOVILLE. HIS Policy secures to the insured the option of terminating his Insurance at the end of STEAMERS. AND KOBE **身下的人从至**下号。 \$25...... por case of 1 dozen quarts. CLARET, CHATEAU LAROSE. 71 | G. W Lake & Co Tch Hung Amrate | TIME above steamer having arrived, Con-678 | Holme, Ringer & Co any 5 Year period, and receiving for his Policy a Rus. str Vladivostook eash surrender value together with his share of Amigo Mundewadt Ger. str 771 Wieler & Co \$13..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. signees of cargo are hereby requested to Brit. str Siemszen & Co B Kohler accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend. \$14..... per case of 2 dozen pints. send in their Bills of Lading for countersigns. SAILING VESSELS. 923 Bun Hin & Co Coulter Brit, atr If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will Athell ture and take immediate delivery of their Goods PONTET CANET. Brit, etr | 1110 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Bremn r be paid immediately on proof of death, together with a Mortnary Dividend of 50 per Cent, of all from alongside. \$9.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts.
PALMER MARGAUX. Brit. sh | 1860 | M. Adams & Co Bandaneira Nov. 22 Ahrens Butterfield & Swire Bit. sir 7 R. Coss Dec. Cargo impoding the discharge of the vessel Christensen Barge Kozaki-maru ___ Melchers & Co Saigon Ger. str Ulcerup premiums received during the 5 Year period in will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk \$7.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. Gef. str | 1093 Yuon Fat Houg P. Have and expense. which death may happen.

Prospectus and full particulars may be had on \$8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints. Ger. str 796 Melohera & Co Wendt Die. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., LORMONT. Haiphong 667 Siemsen & Co Christensen Ger. str JOHN WALKER & SONS' application to Brit. str 64× Jardine, Matheson & Co J. Onslou Hongkong, 12th December, 1887. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., In Port on 5th December, 1987. R. Unsworth Brit. etr A. R. Marty Danube OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY. Asting Agents. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND Messageries Maritimes Shanghai 2619 Fr. str Djemnah: I)eq. per case of 1 dozen bottles. Hongkong, 13th January, 1887. Nov. 24 Bird Brit. str | 1827. (Cornes & Co. Port Victor Manila Spau. str 451 Brandao & Co SINGAPORE. Jap. str | 270. Nippon Yusen Kaisbia Nov. 25 Matoki Urado Maru THE Steamship - Hrillietz 1425 | H. C. & M. Steamboat 🖯 ('priton NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE | Fatebook CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s 508 Douglas Lapraik & Co Brit. str 14 J. S. Roach INSURANCE COMPANY. WINES AND SPIRITS, BAILING VESSELS. 462 Dan. str Arnhold, Kurberg & Co " LYDIA," SIEMSSEN & Co. Amr. bk | 911 | C. & J. Trading Co. Nov. 15 Norton THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-Harvard 4205 S. Francisco Captain G. Peterson, having arrived from the Brit, str 1 O. & O. S. N. Co pany, are authorized to INSURE against | Hankow Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. Amr. sh | 1 48 | C. & J. Trading Co. John Currier Oct. 22 Dow But erfield & Swire Canton above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby re-Brit. str 2235- C. & J. Trading Co. FOR SALE CHEAP. W. G. Davis Oct. 14 Morse FIRE at Current Rates. quested to send in their Bills of Lading for H. C. & M. Steamboat Co Canton Honam GILMAN & Co. countersignature by the Undersigned and to 779 Bun Hin & Co Engus O CYLINDRICAL TUBULAR GUN-Hongkong, 1st January, 1882. take immediate delivery of their Goods from 1061 H.C. & M. Steambeat Co. S.W. Goggia Brit, str k inklang BOAT'S BOILERS, 150 H.P. each, with 1495 Jardine, Matheron & Co .iack×on Brit, str alongside. Kutsang fittings, tested to 150 lbs. to the square inch; YOU OHAMA. 1508 Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless O. M. S. N. Co Wells Chi. atr Dec. Kwan -lee they are suitable for a vessel about 600 tons, or IN PORT ON 3RD DECEMBER, 1887. 1888 Chi. str C. M. S. N. Co notice to the contrary begiven before NOON Lancaster would be very suitable for driving stationary STEAMERS. The Undersigned are now prepared to 857 Bangkok Brit, str Your Fat Hong Mongkut Auderson TO-DAY, the 8th instant. engines. 6 Cornish Bollers 16 ft. long by 6 ft. Brit. str | 1198 | M., Heimann & Co GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against | Octa **Fa**rouhar 1104 Benglos Adamson, Bell & Co Brit str Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godown of the Kowloon Pier Patent Tunes in each. 1 Large STEAM DOUGLAS L Nov. 29 T. N gel Ger. str | 1:00 | Simon, Evers & Co 2035 Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. str Jus. Arnold and Godown Co. and stored at Consignoss' risk Launch Engine and, Botter. 2 Vertical Brit. str 1139 Beynall & Co Dec. 2 Thom DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co... Chinese Cauton Geeleng 254 M. Brace Brit, str Pasig Jap. str | 1027 | Lighthouse Department Nov. 17 Allen Meiji-maru Agents for Phonix Fire Office. 117 H. & W. Dock Co. Brit, str Pilot Fish and expense. Btonani Fr. str 3847 Messageries Maritimes BOILERS. 1 Steam FIRE ENGINE BOILER. Nov. 23 Leguerre Melbourne 115 Pown No Claims will be admitted after the Goods 16-H.P. ENGINE. 2 Steam PUMPS. 2 Horl-1842 H. C. & M. Steamboat Col Cauton Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. rrit, str Brit. str 1870 Adamson, Bell & Co Nov. 28 Cuming M'monthshire have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining 470 | A. R. Marty Sarthe Portesta Jap. str | 1160 | Nippon Yusen Kaishia Brit str | 1620 | A. Center zontal and 2 Diagonal Steam Winches. 1 GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE Satauma Maru Dec. 2 Conner undelivered after the 15th inst., will be subject 10:0 Butterfield & Swire Harris Brit. str Deg. Boodbon Large PLANING MACHINE. 1 DEILLING ASSURANCE COMPANY Dec. 3 O'Callaghan Strange 862 Yuen Fat Hong 14 J. Newton Brit. str Taichiow Machine 2 Emery Tool Grinders, 1 All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to 2349 | Butterfield & Swire Augtralia Frit. etr Patent Fan Blower. 5 Boxes Taps and File Undersigned having been appointed Venetia
Dies. 2 Weston's Patent Blocks, 4 and 8 R. Agents for the above Company, are BAILING VESSELS. 1609 | P. & O. S. N. Co Trit. str be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th inst., at 11 A.M. tons. 2 double acting HAND PUMPS. 1 prepared to GRANT POLICIES against White Cloud Brit. str | 652 | H. C. & M. Steamboat Col Canton . 49 | Captain Nov. 22 Hoskins -Am. sch Arotio Brit. str | 675 | Russell & Co No Fire Insurance has been effected 5.000 gal. WATER TANE. 1 Bradford's Patent FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.

STHAM LAUNDRY, capable of washing about PUSTAU & Dec. 13 Tayler SIEMSSEN & Co., PUSTAU & Co. Bri . bk | 134 Master Don Enrique Oct. 14 Coming BAILING YESBELS. Agents. 1,500 pieces per day, with Boiler and Engine. Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. 18 Captain Gierow Ger. cút Fearless. Hongkong, 8th Docember, 1887. new Hand-Power Patent STEEL FLOUR NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE 145 | Captain Nev. 28 Snow drit.Bob Nemo 13 Kuicht 237 Master Brit. bko. MILLS, by Pursehouse of Wolverhampton. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. 8. Francisco Nereid Oct. 10 J husen 13 Am. sch Master Melohere & Co 812 COMPANY AT HAMBURG. Alden Base Dec. O'Brien Amr, bk 54 | C.ptain New Patent Hand-Power Rice Shelling Nov. 27 Brassey Brit.sch Haii, bg Order Phillips | Allie Rewe June FF HE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Machine, by Nicholison, of Newcastle-on-Type. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. 1862 Russell & Co S. Francisco Brit, sh T', G. Ahrensi Bandan ira All the above Machinery are new or as good Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-Brit. bk C. G. Hore 785 Arnhold, Karberg & Co | Lordon Blackadder SHIPPING IN SOUTHERN POLTS. S. S. "FLINTSHIRE" Brit, bk 1005 Order Mead Can Grant FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-For further Particulars, apply to class risks at current rates. 1164 Hamburg Jas. Sprensen Nor. bk Pustav & Co J. M. ARMSTRONG, DON, AND MANILA. MELCHERS & Co 312 | Chinese Anderson Brit. bk Laru DESTIBA-YLAG DATE OF MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed. Auctioneer, Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. CONSIGNEES. Span bg 930 23: Fernandez Lane, Crawford & Co YESSELS. Enrique TION. AND RIG. that all goods, with the exception of Opium, ABRITAL Queen's Road. 9 Brubo Chinese Ger. ok Erikonig THE LONDON ASSURANCE are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns Hongkong, 24th June, 1887 607 9 Riob. 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